

ROUTING

DATE 2200Z 16 OCT 63

SECRET

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TO : OPCEN

FROM : NPIC

ACTION:

INFO :

OSA/TCO 1-12

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PRIORITY 25X1

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CITE NPIC 1314. THE FOLLOWING IS FROM THE CIA/PHOTOGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION.

A MEDIUM TANK OF THE T-54 TYPE HAS BEEN OBSERVED

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ON THE TEST TRACK ON THE PING-LI-SHE-CHENG TANK PLANT (PAO-TOU VEHICLE PLANT) AT 40-42N 109-54E.

THIS TANK, MOVING AT APPROXIMATELY 30 MPH, HAS A STRAIGHT EDGE SLOPING GLACIS PLATE, A FLAT DECK A RECTANGULAR HULL WITH A CENTER MOUNTED TURRET. THE LENGTH/WIDTH RATIO IS 2 TO 1 (APPROX 11 BY 23 FEET).

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